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Acting Chief, Planning Staff, OL

15 September 1969

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Office of Logistics Historical Report

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1. The information contained in the referent memorandum certainly will simplify the preparation of historical papers. The necessary reviews and late adjustments in historical papers make the numbering of paragraphs a very awkward thing to juggle as a paper goes through its various stages of development.

2. Prior to the arrival of the undersigned as Chief, Building Planning Staff, [REDACTED] held regular Tuesday morning meetings with the Director of Logistics. In the course of one of these meetings, on 5 May 1969, Mr. Malone, Director of Logistics, instructed [REDACTED] to cease their efforts in assembling material and planning the preparation of an historical paper covering the 1951 - 1962 activities of the earlier Building Planning Staff. [REDACTED] instruction was that the work of planning the new building was of such priority that all their attention and efforts should be in that direction and that the historical paper could wait until some later date when some other individual may be assigned the task of writing it.

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3. Thus, no member of the Building Planning Staff is, at this time, working on the history of the earlier Building Planning Staff and will not assume this responsibility unless instructed to do so some time in the future. In case some other individual is available to carry out this aspect of your program, I would like to note that a selection of the more important documents has been made, and these have been assembled in the Building Planning Staff.

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